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For: A SINGLE USE SYRINGE INCORPORATING A SLIDING PROTECTION
SHEATH FOR THE NEEDLE

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Sir:

Prior to calculation of the filing fees and initial examination of the above-identified patent application, please amend the above-identified application as follows.